Application No. 10/787,173 Amendment dated: January 19, 2005

## Remarks/Arguments

Claims 1-22 are now pending in the application. Claims 1, 2, 7 and 9 have been amended. Claims 11-22 have been introduced.

In advance of examination, Applicant elects to amend the claims as shown above.

There are now 22 claims, 4 of which are independent. Applicant submits that a fee of \$300.00 is due, and authorizes the Commissioner to debit this fee from Deposit Account No. 501593. The Commissioner is further authorized to debit any additional amount required, and to credit any overpayment to the above-noted deposit account.

Applicant looks forward to receiving the results of examination in due course.

Respectfully submitted,

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